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MEMORANDUM FOR: The Record

SUBJECT : Conversation with Col. Wendall Johnson (JIG)
on 18 May 1950

Col. Johnson leaving about end of June to be replaced by Col. Munson (already on JIG Staff).

Col. Johnson says that he feels that closer working-level contact between JIG and ORE is desirable and probably can be arranged. He will speak to the General about it and let me know his reaction. Col. Johnson says he visualizes it as extension of the recent agreement by which JIG will participate in CIA estimates.

He feels that, as most JIG papers are related directly to war-plans, there is not too much need for alerting by CIA estimates of current situation, although he feels that CIA has not done enough in this regard.

He says that Strategic Plans Group frequently writes its own estimates by-passing JIG.

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